ABSTRACT

A display apparatus includes a display panel 110 including a light emitting device 120 for each of a plurality of pixels, and a light receiving device 130 provided on the display panel 110 for each of the plurality of pixels. The display panel 110 displays an image by using light output from the light emitting device 120 toward the panel front side. The light receiving device 130 receives a portion of light output from the light emitting device 120 toward the panel back side that is reflected by an irradiated object 10 located on the panel back side. Since the light used for displaying an image and the light used for reading an image are commonly output from the light emitting device 120, it is possible to display and read image information with a simple, thin and light-weight structure.

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